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of and Method for its  
Manufacture, Method for the  
Manufacture of a Thermoplastic  
Containing Such Additive and  
Thermoplastic so Manufactured

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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 18, 2010**

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Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated August 18, 2010, Applicant submits the following response in support of allowance thereof.

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